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EDUCATION

University of Chicago Booth School of Business	2014 - 2020
Ph.D, Quantitative Marketing	
Indian Institute of Management Calcutta Post Graduate Diploma in Management (equivalent to MBA)	2011 - 2013
Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani Bachelor of Engineering (Hons.), Electrical and Electronics	2007 - 2011

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Advertising and Media; Managing retail channels; Digital Marketing

PUBLISHED PAPERS

- Biswas, S., Chintagunta, P. and Dhar, S., (2025) *Quantitative Marketing and Economics*, "How do U.S. households change their expenditure patterns in response to income or wealth shocks? Insights from NielsenIQ Data" (Link).
- Simonov, A., Sacher, S., Dube, JP., Biswas, S., (2022) *Marketing Science*, "Frontiers: The Persuasive Effect of Fox News: Non-Compliance with Social Distancing During the Covid-19 Pandemic", (Link). All authors contributed equally and names are listed in reverse alphabetical order

WORKING PAPERS

- Biswas, S., "Investigating the effects of including discount information in advertising" (SSRN Link). *Under review at Marketing Science*.
- Biswas, S., Yoganarasimhan, H. and Zhang, H., "How does online shopping affect offline price sensitivity?" (SSRN Link). *Under review at Management Science*.
- Biswas, S., Yoganarasimhan, H. and Zhang, H., "Channel Choice and Customer Value" (SSRN Link). Reject and Resubmit at Journal of Marketing

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- Biswas, S., Dube, JP., Simonov, A., "Channel Viewership and Consistent Estimation of the Advertising-Elasticity of Demand" MSI Grant #4000410 (\$10,000)
- Biswas, S., Yoganarasimhan, H., "Do spend goals and reward amounts affect loyalty program uptake and performance? Evidence from large scale field experiments"

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Channel Choice and Customer Value
 - China India Insights Conference, Berkeley, September 2025
 - Invited to discuss this paper at the AMA-Sheth Foundation Early Career Consortium at the AMA Winter Conference, Phoenix, February 2025
 - ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Sydney, June 2024
- Do spend goals and reward amounts affect loyalty program uptake and performance? Evidence from large scale field experiments
 - ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Washington D.C., June 2025
- Channel Viewership and Consistent Estimation of the Advertising-Elasticity of Demand
 - ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Miami, June 2023 (Also served as Session Chair)
- Investigating the effects of including discount information in advertising
 - ISMS Marketing Science Conference, (virtual) June 2020 (Also served as Session Chair)

SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

- How does online shopping affect offline price sensitivity?
 - University of Washington faculty seminar series, November 2024
- Channel Choice and Customer Value
 - Hong Kong University virtual brownbag seminar, October 2024
 - University of Washington faculty seminar series, April 2024
- Do spend goals and reward amounts affect loyalty program uptake and performance? Evidence from large scale field experiments
 - University of Washington Spring Marketing Camp, May 2024
- Channel Viewership and Consistent Estimation of the Advertising-Elasticity of Demand
 - University of Washington faculty seminar series, May 2023
- Investigating the effects of including discount information in advertising
 - University of Delaware, October 2019
 - University of Washington, October 2019
 - UCL, September 2019
 - Chinese University of Hong Kong, September 2019

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

ISMS Early Career Scholars Fellow, Duke University

2023

Eugene F. Fama PhD Fellowship, University of Chicago

Katherine Dusak Miller PhD Fellowship, University of Chicago

2017-2019

Joseph A. and Susan E. Pichler PhD Summer Fellowship, University of Chicago

2014-2016

TEACHING

Pricing Strategy and Analytics - for MBA, evening MBA, undergraduate and MSBA

PEER REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

Ad hoc reviewer for Marketing Science, Management Science, Journal of Marketing, Production and Operations Management, Quantitative Marketing and Economics, Journal of Business Research and Marketing Letters.

NON-ACADEMIC WORK EXPERIENCE

Kotak Mahindra Bank, Mumbai UBS Investment Bank, Hong Kong 2013-2014

Summer 2012